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In re application of : Confirmation No. 7170
Toshio HAYASHI : Attorney Docket No. 2006_0436A
Serial No. 10/574,110 : Group Art Unit 1621
Filed June 9, 2006 : Examiner Jennifer Y. Cho

METHOD FOR OXIDATION OF AROMATIC
COMPOUND HAVING ALKYL SUBSTITUENT,
METHOD FOR PRODUCTION OF AROMATIC
ALDEHYDE COMPOUND, AND METHOD FOR
PRODUCTION OF AROMATIC
CARBOXYLIC ACID ESTER : Mail Stop: RCE

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**REQUEST
for
CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
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Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. § 132, effective on May 29, 2000,
provided for continued examination of a utility or plant application
filed on or after June 8, 1995.
See the American Inventors Protection Act of 1999 (AIPA).

Application Number	10/574,110
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Group Art Unit	1621
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This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

NOTE: 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 is effective on May 29, 2000. If the above-identified application was filed prior to May 29, 2000, applicant may wish to consider filing a continued prosecution application (CPA) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(d) (PTO/SB/29) instead of a RCE to be eligible for the patent term adjustment provisions of the AIPA. See Changes to Application Examination and Provisional Application Practice, Final Rule, 65 Fed. Reg. 50092 (Aug. 16, 2000); Interim Rule, 65 Fed. Reg. 14865 (Mar. 20, 2000), 1233 Off. Gaz. Pat. Office 47 (Apr. 11, 2000), which established RCE practice.

1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

a. Previously submitted:

- i. Please enter and consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on
- ii. Please consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on
- iii. Other

b. Enclosed:

- i. Amendment/Reply
- ii. Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
- iii. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
- iv. Other

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2. Miscellaneous

a. Suspension of action on the above-identified application is required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of months. (period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) required).

b. Other

3. Fees (The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) is required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 when the RCE is filed.)

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